Suggestions for Xmas Gifts.

This being a store of strictly gift things, it is necessarily very easy to find something quickly, admirably suited for giving. And everything being of a high-grade character, you may rest

assured that whatever you buy for giving will be appreciated. What we mention below is but a small part of the whole stock. Anything you wish will be laid aside and delivered when de-

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We grant that you appreciate the superlity of high grade carefully and

workmen.

A large variety, embracing punch bowls, celery trays, salad bowls, water carafes, bon bon dishes, decanters, finger bowls, punch cups, &c.

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The finest china comes from Limoges, France, and the best is Haviland & Co.'s, whose productions we sell. This is the original Haviland.

We show Haviland china not only in full dinner sets and "open stock" patterns, but also in a variety of articles especially suitable for giving, such as ice cream sets, articles for the table, bureau sets, chop sets, chocolate sets, chocolate pots, chop sishes, and each in a variety of handsome decorations.

Dinner Ware.

Greater variety than ever before-more shapes—more patterns—in full sets and "open stock." French and Austrian china, English and American porcelain-in an array of patterns which will amaze you.

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The assortment of toilet sets is certainly more complete and more varied than here tofore, and embraces patterns of every color to harmonize with any color scheme which you wish to carry out in the bed

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By This Label On Each Loaf.



-When you ask for "MOTHER'S BREAD" look for the

-Tell your cook, or whoever goes for the bread, to ask for "MOTHER'S BREAD" and be sure and look for the label. -Each and every loaf of the genuine "MOTHER'S BREAD" bears this label. It is a guarantee of quality—a safeguard against inferior imitation. -You're buying health and strength for your family when

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Always Ask for "Mother's Bread" and Always Look for the Label.

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Corby's Mother's Bread is all right. My clerks, wife and children all like it, and customers all ask for it.
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Elite Market,
10th and M sts. n.w.

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Others. We have sold Corby's dother's Bread ever since it was introduced; it gives better satisfaction than any other; we never have a complaint, and the trade is on the increase. the increase, THEO, RUPPERT, 10th and N sts. n.w.

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GEO. M. DORSEY,
10th and I sts. n.w.

ed Demand. I have sold Corby's Bread from the time it was in-troduced. It has always given entire satisfaction, and the demand for it has wonderfully increased. JAS. H. CLARKE, 1408 14th st. n.w.

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Useful Xmas Gifts, Such as Gloves, Neckwear, Handkerchiefs. Fans, Aprons, Etc.

Glove List.

naize, pearl, mode, gray and tan, fourbutton: \$2.00
Reynier Pique Glace Gloves, black, red,
tan and mode, 2-clasp. \$2.25
We are sole D. C. Agents for the famous
"Centemeri" Glace Gloves, in all colors \$1.50, \$1.75
Centemer Glace Gloves, in black—
Centemeri Suede Gloves, in black and
colors \$1.50
Centemer Washable Glace Gloves, in
white, pearl and tan. \$1.50, \$1.75

Ladies'Neckwear

Fine Liberty Silk, Net and Chiffon Ruffs, in all black, black and white and white and black, at \$1 to \$15.

Ladies' Automobile Ties, at 25c., 50c., 75c., \$1 and \$1.50.

Ladies' Crepe de Chine Ties, at \$1 to \$4.

Other Beautiful Novelties in Ladies' Neckwear, at 25c. to \$2.50.

Liberty Silk, Chiffon and Lace Jabots, at 50c. to \$3.50.

Fancy Stock Collars, in silk and lace, white and colors, 50c. to \$3.

Turn-over Collars, in embroidered and lace effects, 10c. to \$1.

Lace Ties and Collars, 50c. to \$5.

Gift Handkerc'fs.

lines there is not a handkerchief in this stock but what is all linen-and even some of the 5c. lines are all linen. No matter what price you pay you will get good, honest quality—the best value you can obtain at any store in the United can obtain at any store in the States for the same expenditure.

Men's and Ladies' Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs — and Ladies' All 5C. Embroidered, Lace-trimmed Border All Fure Linen Hand- 121/2c. colored border and lace trimmed, 25c. And a splendid line of the Finer Handkerchiefs, including Hand-embroidered, Renaissance Lace, Real Val. and Duchess,

50c., 75c., \$1, \$1.25 up to \$5

Children's Handkerchiefs, in boxes, white and colored borders—initials. 25c. to 50c. box. Handkerchief Centers for trimming with

lace, 121/2c. and 25c.

Gift Aprons. Ladies', Maids' and Nurses' Aprons, in fine India linen, tucked, hemstitched and 25c., 50c. and 75c.

Gift Fans.

Beautiful Hand-painted, Spangled and Lace-trimmed Fans, suitable for Xmas

50c. to \$10. WM. H. McKNEW, 933 Pa. Ave.

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finished—at 99c. to \$4.98 Silk Dress Skirts.

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Easy terms if desired.

Two Elegant Upright Pianos, standard makes, just received from the Brooklyn factory, where they have been put in thorough order, both musically and otherwise. Handsome rosswood cases, full octave and easily worth double the prices asked. New style hardwood stools and scarfs, one year's tuning and free delivery, and our usual guarantee included with both of above instruments, at

\$195 and \$210. These are just the price Uprights for which we have had so many inquiries, and they ought to both be sold tomorrow.

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F. G. Smith, Manufacturer

1225 Pa. Ave. W. P. VAN WICKLE, Manager.

THE REPORT OF THE PROPERTY OF

CHRISTMAS

mindful of the furtherance of lawful commerce in China in the interests of the world, and believing that no opportunity should be lost to secure to foreign trade all the facilities its vast importance entitles it to, and that any additional tax on trade should be met by commercial compensations on the part of China of equal value, declined to consent to the above increase of the customs tariff on imports unless: First—All the treaty powers and China agreed to co-operate in the long desired improvement of the water approaches to Shanghai and Tien Tsin, and second—That specific, duties should be substituted for the present ad valorem ones in the tariff on foreign imports. Both of these conditions were ultimately agreed upon. "Such, in brief, has been the role played by the United States in the conference of Pekin. While we maintained complete independence, we were able to act harmoniously in the concert of powers, the existence of which was so essential to a prompt and peaceful settlement of the situation, we retained the friendship of all the negotiating powers, exerted a salutary influence in the cause of moderation, humanity and justice, secured adequate reparation for wrongs done our citizens, guarantees for their future protection, and labored successfuly in the interests of the whole world in the cause of equal and impartial trade with all parts of the Chinese empire."

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ROCKHILL'S REPORT

The American Policy in the Far

BASED ON JUSTICE AND MODERATION

Friendly Alike to the Powers and

MAINTENANCE OF HARMONY

The long-expected report of Special Com-

State, on the results of his work in connec-

tion with the Chinese negotiations in

Peking has been submitted to Congress.

along with the full text of the protocol, which has been already publish, and a mass

of detailed statements. It was upon this re-

port that the President based his com-

mendatory reference to Mr. Rockhill's work

in his recently published message to Con-

Beginning by detailing the conditions un-

der which he came to be appointed, in Ju'y,

1900, United States commissioner to China Mr. Rockhill tells of visits he made to the

viceroys of Shanghai and Wuchang, which,

he said, did not a little to further the interests of peace. Mr. Rockhill says that he

fully concurred in all the measures that

Minister Conger had been and was advo-cating. These negotiations extended over a period of fourteen months, and Mr. Rock-hill thus summarizes the results in address-

ing Secretary Hay:
"The circular note which you telegraphed

on July 3, 1900, to our embassies in Europe and to our missions in Vienna, Brus-

sels, Madrid, Tokio, The Hague and Lis-

bon, defined the policy already then adopted by the United States in the settlement of

affairs in Chine and from which they never departed. Bearing these instructions al-ways in mind, the task of the agents of our government in Peking was a comparatively

easy one. Throughout the negotiations our object was to use the influence of our gov-

ernment in the interest of justice and moderation, and in a spirit of equal friendship to the powers negotiating jointly with us and the Chinese nation.

Demands of the Powers.

on China, the accomplishment of which was

deemed necessary for the restoration of

normal relations with that country, and

which were embodied in the joint note of

December 22, 1900, may be classified under

four principal heads. 1. Adequate punishment for the authors of and those guilty

of actual participation in the anti-foreign massacres and riots. 2. The adoption of

measures necessary to prevent their recurrence.

The indemnification for losses sustained by states and foreigners through these riots.

The improvement of our relations, both official and commercial, with the Chinese government and with China generally.

generally.
"As regards the punishment of the re-

As regards the punishment of the responsible authors and actual perpetrators of the anti-foreign outrages, the government of the United States, while insisting that all such should be held to the utmost accountability, declined to determine in every case the nature of the punishment to be inflicted, and maintained that the Chinese government itself should in all cases.

nese government itself should in all cases carry them out.

Amount of Indemnity.

"As regards the third point of the nego-

tiations, the equitable indemnification of

penses incurred by them in China and in

sending expeditionary forces to relieve the

legations and foreign residents at Peking

and restore order, and also the securing of indemnities to societies, companies and in-dividuals for their private losses through

the anti-foreign riots, the government of the United States advocated that the sum

total of these indemnities should not exceed a reasonable amount well within the

power of China to pay. After careful in-quiry, you reached the conclusion that with

her present resources and liabilities, China could not pay as indemnities to the powers more than two hundred millions of dollars, and that the exaction of any larger amount

would not only entail permanent financial embarrassment on the country, but might

possibly result in either international finan-cial control or even loss of territory. The representative of the United States was in-structed accordingly, and he was further told that in the opinion of our government the amount should be asked of China by

the powers jointly, without detail or ex-planation, and afterward divide among

them according to their losses and disbursements. You also stated that every facility of payment should be accorded China, and that the debt should be paid by bonds issued at par and bearing 3 per cent interest and running for thirty or forty years.

Effect of Our Moderation.

"Though it became necessary, after pro-

tracted discussion in the conference, to accept the proposition of the other powers to

lemand of China the sum total of their

osses and disbursements, reaching the

enormous sum of \$333,000,000, our insist-

ence in pressing for a much lower sum, and

the weight of the arguments adduced in favor of such a policy, resulted in closing the indemnities at the above lump sum, when they bid fair to go on swelling indefinitely. This and the acceptance of your suggestion that the indemnities be paid in bonds issued at par and hearing a low rate.

bonds issued at par and bearing a low rate of interest (four per cent was finally agreed upon), and running for forty years, resulted in saving a vast sum to China, hastened the evacuation of the country by the expeditionary forces and the restoration of order and of normal relations with the Chinese government

Reform of Chinese Tariff.

"In connection with the question of the

ndemnity, I should particularly mention

that, it having proved necessary to the powers in their search for revenues ap-

plicable to the service of the indemnity

debt that the existing nominal of 5 per

cent ad valorem customs tariff on foreign imports should be made an effective 5 per cent ad valorem, the United States, mindful of the furtherance of lawful com-merce in China in the interests of the

Convicted on Three Charges.

Friday night of last week Policeman

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nese government.

"The twelve demands made by the powers n China, the accomplishment of which was

dissioner Rockhill to the Secretary of

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Lot of Standard Golf Clubs, made by A. G. Spalding & Bros. Covington's prices ranged up to \$1.50 each. OUR 59c. Country Club and Victor Golf Clubs, two favorite patterns. Covington's prices ranged up to \$2 each. OUR 75c.

Norka and Willie Dunn Golf Balls, every golfer knows their popularity. Coving ton's price, \$3 a dozen. OUR \$ 1.50 Musselburg Golf Balls, high-grade gutta percha. Covington's price, \$3.50 \$2.65 Canvas Caddy Bags, regulation size, leather trimmed. Oov ington's 65c.

Dog's Furnishings. Lot of Dog Collars of various kinds. Covington's prices ranged up to 25c. Dog Whips. OUR price for 25c.

Scotch Plaid Caddy Bags, leather trimmed; very strong. Covington's prices ranged up to \$4.00. OUR \$1.75 Lot of Leather Caddy Bags, strongly made and best kind. Covington's prices ranged up to \$6. \$3.00

Dog Leads, made of leather; strong and proper length. Covington's price, 18c.

Retiring from this branch of their business, Messrs. Covington & Co., of 1010 F street, concluded to make a lump sacrifice in disposing of their entire stock of Sporting and Athletic Goods to us rather than a retail closing out. The stock consisted, as you

know, of the standard lines of goods-Spalding and others famous as high-class makers. The price we paid makes THIRD, HALF and EVEN GREATER REDUCTIONS

possible. The sale is in the nick of time to benefit holiday shoppersand nearly every feature of the stock is an appropriate giva-

Fencing Goods.

Lot of Fencing Folls, regulation pattern and size. Covington's price, \$1 a 89c. Men's Fencing Plastrons, regulation make. Covington's price, \$4 a \$2.25 Fencing Gloves and Mitts, with gaunt lets. Covington's price, \$2.25 a \$1.35

Athletic Goods.

Lot of Exercising Machines, healthful and popular make. Covington's 50c. prices, 75c. and \$1. OUR prices. Lot of Massage Exercisers. Covington's prices ranged up to \$2.50. \$1.00 Punching Bags, double and single end tested bladders. Covington's \$1.00 price, \$2. OUR price...... Dayton Iron Punching Bag Platform with bag; complete. Coving \$3.50 ton's price, \$6. OUR price. Wood Punching Bag Platforms. Covington's price, \$6. OUR \$3.00 Rugby Foot Balls, with strong hide and tested bladder. Covington's prices, 63c. Wood Dumb Bells and Indian Clubs, in weights ranging from 4 to 21 pounds. Covington's prices up to 65c. 21c. Bowling Balls, solid and true. Coving ton's prices ranged up to \$1.50.50c.

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Judge Kimball thought otherwise and sent him to jail for six months on the assault charge, and for the disorderly cases he will have to spend sixty days on the farm in default of a fine of \$20. disturbance in a house in Philips' court, near 24th and K streets northwest. On entering the house he was struck over the left eye with a beer glass, which he claims was thrown by George Johnson, a colored man twenty-five years old. Johnson was arrested and sent to the third precinct police station. On the way to the station house, it is said, he indulged in profanity.

An extension to and including December 21 has been granted to James M. Dunn, the contractor for the school building under construction at 3d and K streets southwest. There was some delay in arranging details for construction in the radiating surfaces,

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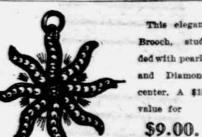
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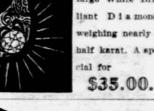
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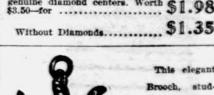
This elegant Diamond Ring, set with a cut Brilliant, no chip. A stone large enough to be seen, and worth \$10-for

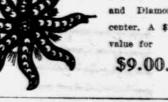
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